

ALASKA
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FISHERIES

STATISTICS OF FISHING INDUSTRY OF ALASKA, SEASON OF 1918

The company or individual receiving this blank is requested to supply the data called for herein and mail the statement to the Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, D. C. (in the franked envelope provided for the purpose), as soon as possible after the close of the fishing season. The law requires that reports of this character be forwarded not later than December 15, and that they "shall be sworn to by the superintendent, manager, or other person having knowledge of the facts, a separate blank form being used for each establishment in cases where more than one cannery, saltery, or other establishment is conducted by a person, company, or corporation." Attention is called to the fact that a heavy penalty is provided for failure to comply with the provisions of the law.

H. M. SMITH,
U. S. Commissioner of Fisheries.

Name of company or individual _____
 Location of home office _____
 Location of plant _____
 Value of plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment, _____
 Cost of operations, exclusive of wages, and value of vessels, boats, and fishing gear shown below _____

NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AND AMOUNT OF WAGES PAID.

[illegible]

^a Includes office force in Alaska.

^b Includes crews of vessels carrying supplies who are not elsewhere shown as fishermen or shoresmen.

38,590

VESSELS AND BOATS.

[illegible]

FISHING APPARATUS.

Kind.	No.	Length.	Value.	Kind.	No.	Value.
Seines, beach		(a)		Traps, staked		
Seines, purse		(a)		Traps, floating		
Gill nets		(a)		Dip nets		
Hand lines				Fish wheels		
Trawl lines		(b)				

^a Give aggregate length in fathoms.

^b Give aggregate number of hooks.

LOSSES DURING YEAR.

Loss of life.					Loss of property.	
Designation.	Drowning.	Other accidents.	Disease.	Total.	Items.	Kind and value.
Fishermen					Buildings	
Shoresmen					Vessels and boats	
Transporters					Fishing gear	
Total					Canned or other product	

DETAILED REPORT OF SALMON FISHING OPERATIONS, BY LOCALITIES AND APPARATUS.

It is desired that this information be prepared with accuracy and detail, so far as the packers' records can by reasonable effort be made to furnish it. Different streams in the same bay or sound should be separately reported so far as the catch can properly be credited to each. Catches not certainly referable to particular streams may be reported under the head of the bay, sound, or region.

Species of salmon and names of streams or localities fished.	Number of salmon taken with each kind of apparatus.						Fishing season—	
	Seines.	Gill nets.	Traps.	Lines.	Dip nets.	Other appliances.	Began.	Ended.
Coho or silver salmon:				4800				
Total								
Chum or keta salmon:								
Total								
Humpback or pink salmon:								
Total								
King or spring salmon:				15000			April 1st	Oct. 10th
Total								
Red or sockeye salmon:								
Total								

SALMON AND TROUT PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Coho or silver.	Chum or keta.	Humpback or pink.	King or spring.	Red or sockeye.	Dolly Varden or salmon trout.	Steelhead.	Total.
CANNED:								
Cases, 1-lb. cans, 48's. Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. cans, 96's. Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans. Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. tall cans. Number								
Value								
MILD CURED:								
Tierces (800 lbs. each). Number	30			220				250
Value	3600.00			3700.00				42600.00
PICKLED:								
Barrels (200 lbs. each). Number								
Value								
Bellies. Pounds								
Value								
Backs. Pounds								
Value								
DRY SALTED. Number of fish.								
Pounds								
Value								
FROZEN. Number of fish.								
Pounds								
Value								
SHIPPED FRESH. Number of fish.								
Pounds								
Value								

HALIBUT, COD, HERRING, AND MINOR SALMON PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Pounds.	Value.	How prepared.	Number.	Value.
HALIBUT:			HERRING:		
Fresh (shipped)			CANNED:		
Fresh (sold locally)			Cases, 1-lb. cans.		
Frozen			Cases, 1-lb. cans.		
Fletched				Pounds.	
Dry salted			Dry salted. For food		
Smoked			Fresh. For food		
Canned			For bait		
Vessel catch—			Frozen. For food		
Dry salted			For bait		
Pickled			Pickled, Scotch cure (in half-barrels)		
Stockfish			Pickled, Scotch cure (in full barrels)		
Tongues			Pickled, Norwegian cure		
Cod-liver oil. galls.			Pickled. For bait		
Shore station catch—			Fertilizer. tons.		
Dry salted			Oil. galls.		
Pickled			SALMON:		
Stockfish			Caviar		
Tongues			Beleke		
Cod-liver oil. galls.			Ukalu		
CANNED:			Kippered		
Cases, 1-lb. cans. Number			Dried		
Value			Fertilizer. tons.		
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans. Number			Oil. galls.		
Value					

WHALING OPERATIONS.

Catch.				Products.		
Species.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
Bowhead				Oil, body. galls.		
California gray				Oil, sperm. galls.		
Finback				Fertilizer, meat. tons.		
Humpback				Fertilizer, bone. pounds.		
Sulphur-bottom				Whalebone. pounds.		
Sperm				Meat, pickled. pounds.		
Others ^a				Stearin. galls.		
Total						

^a Indicate number and sex of each species.

CLAM PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Minced clams.			Whole clams.			Clam juice.		
	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.
CANNED:									
Cases, 1-lb. cans.									
Cases, 1-lb. cans.									
Cases, 2-lb. cans.									
Cases, 10-lb. cans.									
Total									

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Items.	Quantity.	Value.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
	Pounds.				
Sablefish. Fresh			Tomcod Fresh	pounds	
Frozen			Frozen	pounds	
Pickled			Pickled	pounds	
Smoked			Other fish ^a Fresh	pounds	
Eulachon Fresh			Frozen	pounds	
Pickled			Pickled	pounds	
Smoked			Grayfish Oil	galls	
Rockfish or bass Fresh			Fertilizer	tons	
Frozen			Crabs (Specify unit)		
Pickled			Mussels	do	
Smelt Fresh			Oysters	do	
Frozen			Seaweed	do	
Pickled			Ivory (walrus)	do	
Pollock Fresh			Hides Hair seal	number	
Frozen			Sea lion	number	
Pickled			Walrus	number	
Flatfish Fresh					
Frozen					
Pickled					

^a State species.

ADDITIONAL OR EXPLANATORY INFORMATION.

All fish packed were purchased from the trollers and were paid for at prices fixed by the U.S. Fish Administration, prices paid were as follows

Red Kings 9¢ lb round
 white " 5¢ " "
 Coho. 30¢ each "

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing information is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. R. Thompson

State of

J. R. Thompson

Owner, Superintendent, Manager.
(ERASE INAPPLICABLE WORDS.)

County of

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

5th

day of

February

1919

[SEAL.]

11-5869

J. R. Thompson

Notary Public.

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